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Enclosed is Form PTO-1449 identifying four (4) references.

Also enclosed are copies of the four (4) identified references.

The present application is the United States National Phase of PCT/SE04/000732. The four identified references were cited in the International Search Report issued in connection with the corresponding PCT application.

Each of the references was cited in Category A, indicating that the reference is not considered to be of particular relevance to the claims. The claims of the PCT claims correspond

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to the claims of the present United States National Phase.

Also enclosed is a copy of the Written Opinion of the International Searching Authority issued in connection with the corresponding PCT application. The Written Opinion concludes that the PCT claims (and thus the claims of the present United States National Phase) are deemed to be patentable over the four references identified in the International Search Report.

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